

"Taking Gathered Worship Home" (TGWH) has been developed for you to use in the private worship of your home, whether you are married or single, and whether or not you have children. It is a tool to knit us together throughout the church year. While we would encourage the use of TGWH in its entirety, you are encouraged to adapt the offerings to your particular circumstances. The prayer is taken from "Lutheran Worship" and the psalm readings are taken from the "Book of Common Prayer" and the daily readings are from "The Book of Common Worship".

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PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

February 8, 2004

O God, our loving Father, through the grace of your Holy Spirit you plant the gifts of your love into the hearts of your faithful people. Grant to your servants soundness of mind and body, so that they may love you with their whole strength and with their whole heart do these things that are pleasing in your sight; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

SUNDAY ✠ Morning Psalms 93, 96
 ✠ Genesis 24:50-67 ✠ 2 Timothy 2:14-21 ✠ Mark 10:13-22
 ✠ Evening Psalm 34

✠ *How Lovely Shines the Morning Star* (p. 2)

MONDAY ✠ Morning Psalm 80
 ✠ Genesis 25:19-34 ✠ Hebrews 13:1-16 ✠ John 7:37-52
 ✠ Evening Psalms 77, 79

✠ *Once He Came In Blessing* (p. 11)

TUESDAY ✠ Morning Psalm 78:1-39
 ✠ Genesis 26:1-33 ✠ Hebrews 13:17-25 ✠ John 7:53-8:11
 ✠ Evening Psalms 78:40-72

✠ *Lord, Bid Your Servant Go in Peace* (p. 12)

WEDNESDAY ✠ Morning Psalm 119:97-120
 ✠ Genesis 27:1-29 ✠ Romans 12:1-8 ✠ John 8:12-20
 ✠ Evening Psalms 81, 82

✠ Psalm 136 (p. 4)

THURSDAY ✠ Morning Psalm 83
 ✠ Genesis 27:30-45 ✠ Romans 12:9-21 ✠ John 8:21-32
 ✠ Evening Psalms 85, 86

✠ *In Sweet Communion, Lord with Thee* (p. 8)

FRIDAY ✠ Morning Psalm 88
 ✠ Genesis 27:46-28:22 ✠ Romans 13:1-14 ✠ John 8:33-47
 ✠ Evening Psalms 91, 92

✠ *Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness* (p. 10)

SATURDAY ✠ Morning Psalms 87, 90
 ✠ Genesis 29:1-20 ✠ Romans 14:1-23 ✠ John 8:47-59
 ✠ Evening Psalm 136

✠ *Isaiah, Mighty Seer* (p. 5)

In Preparation for the Divine Service
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Lessons

- ☞ Psalm 1
- ☞ Jeremiah 17:5-8
- ☞ 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20
- ☞ Luke 6:17-26

Heidelberg Catechism

Q. 29. Why is the Son of God called "Jesus", that is a Saviour?

A. Because he saveth us, and delivereth us from our sins; (a) and likewise, because we ought not to seek, neither can find salvation in any other. (b)

(a) Matt.1:21; Heb.7:24,25. (b) Acts 4:12; John 15:4,5; 1 Tim.2:5; Isa.43:11; 1 John 5:11.

Q. 30. Do such then believe in Jesus the only Saviour, who seek their salvation and welfare of saints, of themselves, or anywhere else?

A. They do not; for though they boast of him in words, yet in deeds they deny Jesus the only deliverer and Saviour; (a) for one of these two things must be true, that either Jesus is not a complete Saviour; or that they, who by a true faith receive this Saviour, must find all things in him necessary to their salvation. (b)

(a) 1 Cor.1:13,30,31; Gal.5:4. (b) Heb.12:2; Isa.9:6; Col.1:19,20; Col.2:10; 1 John 1:7,16.